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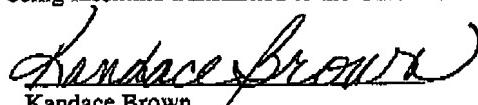
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**U.S. Serial No.:** U.S.S.N. 10/618,952  
**Inventor(s):** Morgan D. Murphy  
**Title:** FRAME-BASED OCCUPANT WEIGHT  
ESTIMATION APPARATUS HAVING  
COMPLIANT LOAD TRANSFER MECHANISM  
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**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application from April 12, 2007 to August 12, 2007. The fee is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0831 in the amount of \$1,020.

**AMENDMENT UNDER 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed 12 February 2006 and identified as Confirmation No.: 6410, please amend the subject application and consider the remarks set forth herein.

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